GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2837
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RAILWAY PROJECTS IN ANDHRA PRADESH
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of pending/on-going rail projects/surveys in Andhra Pradesh alongwith the progress made thereof, project- wise;

(b) the amount allocated to each of the project and the expenditure incurred so far on each of the project;

(c) whether some projects are lagging behind as per their target;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor, project-wise; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government for completion of these projects?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINIST RAILWAYS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL)

(a) to (e) : The details of all on-going Railway projects in Andhra Pradesh, including outlay proposed for 2002-03 and expected expenditure upto March, 2002 for each project, is given in Appendix-I.

Projects are being progressed as per their relative priority and availability of resources. The progress of each project and steps taken by the Government for completion of these projects are also given in the Appendix-I.

The detail of surveys in Andhra Pradesh is in the Appendix-II.

APPENDIX - I

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Railway Projects in Andhra Pradesh

S. No.	Name of Project	Rly.	Cost of Projec t	Expecte d expendi ture Upto March 2002	Funds Required for Completi on	Status
	New Line					
1	Peddapally-Karimnagar-Nizamabad	SCR	417.98	59.65	358.33	Peddapally to Karimnagar (35.53 km) work has been commissioned. Work is in progress between Karimnagar & Jagtyal (48 km) where land acquisition has been taken up.

2	Kakinada-Kotapalli (restoration)	SCR	66.80	7.59	59.21	Earthwork, minor and major bridges are in progress.
3	Nandyal-Yerraguntla	SCR	174.33	5.52	168.81	Final location survey has been completed & land acquisition papers for first 46 km (275 hectares) in Cuddapah District has been submitted to State Govt.
4	Macherla-Nalgonda	SCR	125.09	0.08	125.01	Final location Survey is in progress and land acquisition has been taken up. Work will commence once land becomes available.
5	Munirabad-Mehboobnagar	SCR	420.12	6.61	413.51	Final Location Survey has been completed. Land acquisition plans for 11 km from Ginigera end and 15 km from Mahbubnagar end (total 26 km) have been submitted to State Govt. On Krishna-Yermaras Doubling (16 km) earthwork and minor bridges are in progress.
6	Gadwal-Raichur	SCR	108.91	0.75	108.16	Land acquisition work is being taken up.
7	Kakinada-Pithapuram	SCR	61.70	0.30	61.40	Work will be taken up after obtaining the requisite clearances.
8	Kotapalli-Narsapur	SCR	329.05	1.00	328.05	Final location survey between Kotapalli-Amalapuram completed including geo-technical investigations for Gowthami Bridge.
9	Dharmavaram-Puttaparthi Penukonda	SR	124.22	108.99	15.23	Penukonda to completed and

via Puttaparthi Dharmavaram-Puttaparthi has been commissioned in January 2002.					commissioned on 21.11.2000.
Gauge Conversion					
10 Mudkhed-Adilabad	SCR	142.22	7.98	134.24	The work had been taken up under the Build-Own-Lease-Transfer (BOLT) scheme. As the contractor was facing problems in arranging finances over a long period of time, the contract for the work has been terminated . The work is now being taken up through Railway finances.
11 Guntur-Guntakal & Guntakal-Kalluru	SCR	516.10	459.35	56.75	Guntur to Guntakal and new line portion from Pendekallu-Gooty has been completed.
12 Katpadi-Pakala-Tirupati	SCR	158.50	80.78	77.72	Formation works are in progress. Additional funds to the tune of Rs.65 crores have been provided to expedite the work during 2001-02.
13 Secunderab ad-Dronachellam & Secunderab ad-Bolarum	SCR	351.05	329.51	21.54	Work has been completed and commissioned.
14 Dharmavaram -Pakala	SCR	251.22	0.01	251.21	Requisite clearances have been obtained. Preparation of Plans & Estimates have been taken up.
15 Secunderab ad-Mudkhed & Jankhampet-Bodhan	SCR	287.83	88.20	199.63	Earthwork and bridgework are in progress. The work is being expedited and effort is being made to complete Mudkhed-Dharmabad during 2001-02.

16 Naupada-Gunupur	SER	66.35	0.04	66.31	Work will be taken up after obtaining the requisite clearances, action for which has been initiated.
Doubling					
17 Hospet-Guntakal	SCR	159.10	25.13	133.97	Final location survey has been completed.
(GC)					Tenders have been processed. This project is proposed under K-RIDE funding with a view to expedite the progress.
18 Vijaywada-KrishnaCanal 3rdline	SCR	44.31	34.52	9.79	The third line is proposed between Krishna Canal and Vijayawada by providing a second track on the substructure over Krishna for which superstructure is in progress. Formation for main line is completeed.
19 Gudur-Renigunta	SCR	139.69	68.55	71.14	The work for 25 km is presently targeted for completion in 2001-02.
20 Gooty-Renigunta Sec. : Doubling of Balapalle-Pullampet	SCR	74.77	21.61	53.16	Tenders for earthwork and minor bridges have been processed.
(Phase-I)					
21 Gooty-Renigunta : Patch Doubling	SCR	304.50	6.50	298.00	Final Location Survey and preparation of detailed estimate has been taken up. Tenders for earthwork and minor bridges have been processed.
22 Gajapatinagaram-Vijayanagaram : Patch doubling	SER	47.50	36.71	10.79	The work has been completed and commissioned.

(Phase-II)					
(Section-III) including junction arrangement at Vizianagaram					
23 Whitefield-Kuppam	SR	162.23	75.54	86.69	The work is in progress & the first phase from Whitefield to Bangarapet (47 km) has been completed and commissioned. The work of Bangarapet yard has been completed. Tenders processed for earthwork & bridges in Kuppam-Bangarapet section.
Railway Electrification Projects					
24 Renigunta-Guntakal	SCR	168.34	10.62	157.72	This work has been defrozen in Nov.1998. OHE works have been taken up. Target date is Mar., 2004, subject to availability of funds.
25 Bhubaneshwar Kottavalasa	SER	319.63	275.45	44.19	386 RKMs have been electrified till March, 2001. Work in progress and target for completion by March 2002.
Metropolitan Transport Project					
26 Upgradation of Railway Infrastructure facilities for introduction of Suburban Traffic (MMTS) : Secunderabad-Falaknuma and Hyderabad/Secunderabad-Lingampalli sections of twin cities of Hyderabad & Secunderabad	SCR	34.98	7.50	27.48	This is a new work sanctioned in 2001-2002. Project is targetted to be completed by November, 2002. The total project cost is to be shared in the ratio of 50 : 50 by Railway and State Government of Andhra Pradesh.

APPENDIX - II

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S. No.	Name of the Project	Rly.	Kms.	Status
	On-going Surveys in Andhra Pradesh			
	New Lines			
1	Jaggayyapet-Miryalgudda	SCR	57	In progress. Likely to be completed by 31.3.02
2	Falaknuma-Umdanagar-Airport	SCR	20	Being taken up. Traget date of completion is not yet fixed.
3	Kottavalasa to Anakapalli bye pass line	SER	33	Completed & report under finalisation
4	Ponduru-Razam	SER	20	In progress.Likely to be completed by 31.8.02
	Doubling			
5	Vizianagaram-Kottavalasa : Third line	SER	35	In progress. Likely to be completed by 31.3.02
6	Kottavalasa-Simhachalam Road : 4th line	SER	18	In progress. Likely to be completed by 31.3.02